THE DAILY MEMPHIS AVALANCHE.

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THE DAILY AVALANCHE.

Ben. Wade has set the 7th of May to take the Presidential chair.

The theater at Little Rock is doing a good business.

Abe Smith, the colored jailor, took possession of his place in Nashville, on the 24th.

Convention scrip in Florida is worth twenty-five cents on the dollar.

Barnum's giraffe denies that he is dead. He was somewhat scorched down below, but his head was above the flames.

The spring elections all through Pennsylvania have resulted in the greatests Democratic triumphs.

Two notorious cracksmen were captured in the attempt to enter a house in Nashville on Wednesday night.

The Chicago *Republikan* calls Abbott's "Life of Christ" an effort to crucify him afresh.

The Presbyterian Synod of Kentucky opened its session in Louisville last Wednesday.

The trial of Colonel Hull, late warden of the Nashville Penitentiary, for perjury has been dragging along for a week.

Edwin Booth, it is said, is going to marry the beautiful and accomplished actress, Miss McVicker, of Chicago.

Dr. John B. Finley, of White county, Ark., died on the 17th instant. He was born near Lebanon, Tennessee, was a prominent citizen and a good Mason.

Rev. R. A. Holland, the youthful orator and rising divine in the Methodist Church of Kentucky, has been offered a salary of $6,000 to take charge of a church in Baltimore.

A party of Parisians were made deathly sick by eating a couple of cats, which were served up as rabbits. Their stomach had been probably rendered delicate by eating horse.

Captain James P. Brownlow, the only respectable member of the family, has resigned his position in the Eighth cavalry, now fighting Indians in Arizona, and is expected home ishortly.

The result of the election in Searcy, Ark., is thus given in the *Record*:

> The Rads in Searcy counted votes,
> And how we give their figures,
> Three whites, so-called, two carpet bags,
> One Dutchman, thirty niggers!

Cat-tail slough, in Whiteside county, Illinois, has lately been discovered to contain about three thousand acres of peat. The peat bed proper is about six miles long and three-fourths of a mile wide. In some places it is thirty feet deep.

The wheat crop in the counties of Roane, Rhea and Meigs, especially along the Tennessee river, presents a very promising appearance since the advent of warm weather, and that the farmers are now hopeful of realizing a good yield.

The election for Governor, Lieutenant Governor, member of Congress, members of the Legislature, and for County officers and the Constitution, will be held in Florida on the first Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday in May.

Father Ryan's new literary paper at Augusta, Georgia, the *Banner of the South*, has made its appearance. It is a neat eight page periodical, with tasteful vignette, bearing the motto, "*Religio et Patria.*" It is devoted to the interests of the Catholic religion and to general literature.

The "loil" voters of White county, Arkansas, have had a lively discussion among themselves in regard to the spelling of the word Constitution, a majority of them contending that it commences with a "K." The matter will probably be referred to Congress with a "K."

In consequence of the opposition steam ship line to New York via Panama, the rates of freight have been greatly reduced. The opposition were selling through tickets to New York, early this week, as follows: Steerage twenty-five dollars; second cabin thirty five dollars; first cabin fifty dollars.

Major Dick McCann, the famous Tennessee partizan, after escaping the Mexican bullets of Monterey, the vicissitudes of an eventful California career, the storms of two oceans and the shot and shell of a four years' civil war, was led captive, on the 24th instant, in the silken chains of matrimony. Miss Magg Dunnaway, of Davidson county, was his captor. A truer soldier or worthier gentleman never led a fairer bride to the alatr.

The *Illinois State Register* says that during the war the quartermasters department, instructed by the nigger loving authority at Washington, paid negro teamsters twenty-five dollars per month and rations, while white soldiers detailed for duty as teamsters, were only paid sixteen dollars and rations. An Illinois soldier put on duty as mule whacker, sent a written application to his captain, "to be promoted as nigger by brevet, and asking that the President order him on duty, with pay in accordance with his rank."

Two men named respectively Matthews and Gibson, became involved in a difficulty at Huntingdon, on the Nashville and Northwestern Railroad, last week, when Matthews struck his antagonist a violent blow upon the head with the barrel of a large navy revolver, breaking the skull and inflicting a wound, of which Gibson subsequently died. Both parties are said to have been intoxicated at the time, and Gibson is reported to have declared himself a member of the Ku-Klux Klan, during the quarrel which preceded the tragic affair.

A terrible double tragedy was committed last Friday near Prospect Bluff, in the vicinity of Searcy, Arkansas. Eight gentlemen were returning from the election; one of them had a jug of whisky, which another proposed to take away in a joke. One of them, named Benjamin Bradley, Jr., raised a quarrel, and finally shot and killed Mr. Jordan A. Ball and his nephew, Charley Ball, an inoffensive young man recently from Tennessee. Both the murdered men were good citizens, and quiet, inoffensive men. The elder Ball leaves a wife and several helpless children in depressed circumstances. The murderer was of good family, but a reckless character. He made his escape towards the Indian nation.

WASHINGTON.

Another Flagrant Violation of the Constitution by the Jacobins.

Impeachment Trial to Proceed Next Monday.

Andrew Johnson to be Ousted by the 24th of April.

Black's Withdrawal and Seward's Corruption.

Special telegraphic correspondence of the Louisville Courier.]

WASHINGTON, March 24.

It is manifest that public interest in impeachment is rapidly declining. The galleries were by no means crowded, and in a short time Senators will have more tickets than applications for them.

Before the grand performance commenced, the Senate acted on and passed Edmunds' bill about returning acts passed by Congress. It requires a bill to be returned to the Clerk of the House or Secretary of the Senate, and not to the House in which it originated, which is the language of the Constitution.

Morton, of Indiana, made a manly and eloquent appeal against this outrage on the Constitution, but without avail.

Next came impeachment. The Senate being transformed into a court, the replication of the managers, which was precisely what Butler yesterday stated it would be, was filed. It merely reasserts the President's guilt, and the trial will therefore proceed under a general issue.

Reverdy Jonnson's motion to grant ten days' time was amended by Sumner—that the trial proceed forthwith—but it was decided to consider the proposition in secret session. Mr. Johnson then said a reasonable time ought to be granted; that a regard for the appearance of justice demanded that much from the court. Most of the Senators participated in the debate which followed.

Sumner clamored for blood, insisting that no time should be given. No, said Sumner, not an hour. Howard also joined in the cry, and appealed to his Radical friends.

After a long discussion it became apparent that Sumner & Co. could not force the trial through at railroad speed, and Conkling (Radical) proposed Monday next as a compromise, which was carried by four majority.

The House managers were freely censured to-day for furnishing a copy of the replication for publication prior to its adoption by the House.

Radicals profess to believe they will cause the Executive to vacate by April 14th, the anniversary of Lincoln's assassination, but the President's friends seem to have more confidence in the final result.

Judge Black emphatically contradicts the statements sent west about his declining to appear as counsel for the President. It grows out of a controversy between Black and Seward respecting a claim of Black's to the guano island of Alta Villa.

The President, after admitting the right of Black's clients, was so overawed by Seward that he would make no order in the case either for or against them.

Judge Black declares the President, by taking sides with Seward, put it out of his power to serve him as counsel, though he firmly believes in the justice and law of the President's defense.

He does not retire from the cause for want of confidence in the defense, nor in consequence of ill feeling toward the President, nor because of any difference with the counsel. There was a sharp correspondence between the President and Judge.

Seward's extraordinary conduct creates the impression that he is in league with the robbers whom he protects, and it is probable a resolution of investigation will be introduced in the House. Moreover, it is said, were it not so late this matter would form an additional article of impeachment. This may have been the reason for Black's withdrawing, which was done last week

Thaddeus Stevens, Butler, Bingham and others indorse this claim, and several of them assert Seward is guilty of malfeasance in office and should be impeached.

The President's veto of the bill which takes away the right of appeal to the Supreme Court in habeas corpus cases will be sent in to-morrow.

Hancock had an interview with the President to day. He will soon assume command of this department.

The report that General Banks will be minister to Prussia if Wade goes in is without foundation. Banks says he has not been addressed on the subject.

Bishop Quintard on Church Balls.

The letter of which the major part is given below, was written by Bishop Quintard from England, and created quite a sensation in this, his diocese. We publish the extract, in response to numerous inquiries on the subject:

My friend, Captain M. F. Murray, has put in my hands a copy of the *Southern Churchman*, containing an article on "Church Balls." It is an account of "a ball gotten up by church people" in my diocese, for the benefit of Christ Church, Nashville. I am informed that the large hall was tastefully decorated with evergreens—that a band of music was in attendance—that dancing commenced at a specified hour—that a life sized likeness of the Bishop of the diocese "in full canonicals was so conspicuously placed as to give that chief shepherd, though absent in Europe, the appearance of being the patron of one of the most painful occasions to compromise the principles of Christianity that has ever been inaugurated or sanctioned by a congregation of professed Christians in the United States." And it is further stated that "the hands of the Christian women were employed in presenting the intoxicating glass, and in administering the deadly poison which destroys both body and soul." My own views are sufficiently understood by the clergy of my diocese; but in my own and in their behalf, I desire to say a few words on the evils and abuses which are such a great scandal to the Church and to the Diocese of Tennessee. I am thankful to the writer of the article in the *Churchman* that he does me the justice to say that in my annual address in May last to the Convention in my diocese, I expressed myself as very strongly opposed to all such agencies in the work of the Church. How any body of professed Christians, who claim to have "put off concerning the former conversation the old man which is corrupt according to the deceitful lusts"—and to have put on the new man, which after God is created in righteousness and true holiness, could have been educated down to such a scandal, is what I cannot understand.

With God's Word open, with a house set apart for His worship, where we cannot but believe Him to be especially present; with sacraments and ordinances which are channels of grace and overflowing with heavenly food; with all these blessed instrumentalities for growth in grace and Christ likeness, I cannot understand how a congregation could so outrage the principles of Christianity, and of that Church which our dear Saviour bought with his most precious blood. I know full well, my dear brother, that the clergy of my diocese, as a body, feel with me that one of the greatest hindrances to spiritual life and true church-work exists in the agencies which are so commonly made use of for replenishing the Lord's treasury. Fairs, suppers, raffles, lotteries, balls and all such abominations, at once destroy all true principles of making an offering to God, as an act of holy worship. I believe that in proportion as they are made use of, the life of my congregation will decline, and the usefulness of a pastor be destroyed; he will be "a cloud to rain, not over Arabia, the happy, but over the Stony Desert."

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LOST—This is to certify that the following Certificates of Stock in the Memphis and Charleston Railroad, belonging to my late husband, Dr. Wm. Jones viz: No. 700, dated June 16, 1857, for ten shares; No. 1165, dated July 2, 1860, for six shares, have been either lost, or destroyed by fire, and that it is my intention to apply to the Secretary of the Company for a duplicate of the same. NAOMI JONES, Administratrix mh26

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NOTICE.—I will, at the next term of the County Court, apply for letters of administration upon the estate of Fletcher Taylor, deceased. C. N. TAYLOR. mh19

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NOTICE—At the April term I will apply to the County Court of Shelby county to be appointed guardian of Mary Lula and Bettie McNeal, minor heirs of J. S. McNeal deceased. R. A. REYNOLDS. ONLEY & DUVAL, Solicitors. mh9

NOTICE—To all whom it may Concern—I have this day surrendered to the Clerk of the County Court of Shelby county, the insolvency of the estate of William Biggs, deceased. All creditors are required to file their claims by the first day of October, '68, or they will be barred. H. IRBY, Administrator. ONLEY & DUVAL, Solicitors. mh3

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SATURDAY, : : : : MARCH 28, 1868

BECAUSE the Southern people do not fall down at the feet of the Radicals and worship them as saints they are called disloyal! Since the surrender of the Confederate army, which piled upon so many battlefields the dead invaders—since the Confederate banner, which flamed over the noblest and bravest men that ever fought and died for a noble cause, was furled, we have said nothing against the integrity of the Union. We have scrupulously defended the Constitution. We have advocated equality, justice, fraternity and peace. We have counseled no resistance to law. We have committed no violence. Yet, because we war upon the carpet-bag thieves in our midst who are plundering the tax paying people and trampling upon their liberties, we are called disloyal! Is it disloyal to the Government to brand as a dirty dog such a villain as BARBOUR LEWIS? Is it treason to the Union to stigmatise such a swindling, defaulting, musical jail bird as WILLIAM HUNTER as a judicial tyrant? Is it rebellious to the Government to expose the rascality and corruption of the Radical knaves who are speculating on the tax-payers money, and growing plethoric on the life-blood of the people? Is it perfidy to the nation to lash the cowards who have dashed, like enraged tigers, at the throats of disarmed warriors, stripping them of every political right and making them subservient to their late slaves? Is it an offence so rank that it "smells to heaven" to expose the impudence of the carpet-bag bummers, who come South to array the negroes against the whites, to nose for office, and who, while peering in every crack and crevice for something to steal, get on their knees and peep under gentlemen's beds to see what sort of vessels are kept there? We have had the temerity to do all these things, and for so doing the Radicals make a prodigious clatter and call us *disloyal!* We are disloyal, but it is disloyalty to despotism and usurpation—to plundering thieves—to official peculation—to inequality and injustice—to insult and contumely—to the fleecing of the tax paying people—to white disfranchisement and negro enfranchisement. We are disloyal in all these things, and "if this be treason, make the most of it." The people of the South are not in revolt against the Union, but they are rebellious towards the cowardly tyrants who are hunting them down. Towards the Government, unjust, cruel and oppressive as it is, the people of the South are as "loil" as those of the North. With the surrender of their armies, the tenor of their thoughts and resolutions changed. They became loyal citizens again at that moment. Whether or not they possess the same equanimity of temper at this moment that they did then, may be a matter of question, but their loyalty is unquestionable to impartial judges. The Radicals hypocritically proposed conditions to them which they knew they could not in decency accept, thus endeavoring to put them into a false position, for the purpose of finding themselves a pretext for calling them rebels. Even this treacherous policy has not changed their loyal character, for they see their enemies have nothing true to base their policy on, and are dependent on cant and falsehood for success. We repeat, then, that when the Radicals speak of the Southerners as rebels, they employ terms which they are conscious have no basis in fact, and this may be said of all of them, from the most pretentious to santicity down to the most reckless in infamy, BEN BUTLER, of Massachusetts. An Athenian once declared that "the country would never have peace or prosperity until Themistocles was thrown into the Barathrune," a pit into which malefactors condemned to die were thrown. The South or the whole country will never have peace, until the carpet-bag squatters, who live by strife and discord, theft and plunder, are hung upon the lamp-posts or share that retribution which, since the foundation of the world, sooner or later overtakes the despots who trample upon the rights and liberties of a free and proud people. To prove that the adventurers and carpet-bag scalawags are responsible for all the bitterness and strife that exist in the south, we have only to refer to the opinion of General HANCOCK. He has recently said: "THE PEOPLE OF LOUISIANA ARE AS LAW-ABIDING AND AS WELL DISPOSED TOWARD THE UNION AND THE CONSTITUTION AS THE PEOPLE OF ANY OTHER STATE," and believes that "IF CARPET-BAGGERS FROM THE NORTH WOULD ONLY STAY AT HOME THERE WOULD BE A QUIET AND UNOBSTRUCTED PROCESS OF RECONSTRUCTION." Never were words more appropriately or truthfully spoken. If the Radicals—the plundering, office-seeking adventurers who are now swarming in our midst—would stay at home and let the Southern people alone; if the tyrants who have possession of the National and State governments would cease their oppressions and persecutions and give the tax-paying white men the same rights secured to the negro, peace, like a gentle spell, would brood over the land. The voice of hate and bickering would be hushed in an ardent love for a union that metes out equal and exact justice to all. General HANCOCK has been in the South, and he tells the truth when he proclaims to the world that it is the scum and dandruff upon Southern society that causes all trouble and excitement. As the New York *Herald* remarks, the words of General HANCOCK are no part of a harangue pumped up by some windy orator to excite and inflame. These are the calmly uttered words of a distinguished soldier, whose record is one of the most satisfactory and glorious in the whole history of the war, and whose acts in battle old more toward saving the country than was done by all the orators and spouters that now trouble the land; and this gallant, sincere and earnest soldier was recently the Military Governor of the State in question. He has been on the spot many months, and observed carefully," as was his duty, the expression and tendency of public sentiment, and gives it as his final opinion that the real trouble in the settlement of the South lies in the conduct of adventurers from the North, and not in the obstinacy, contumacy or rebellious spirit of the Southern people. Can all the flimsy and prejudiced party declamation of Radicals in Congress weigh before the people with this single opinion of a man the country knows? The "carpet-baggers" are the real formidable evil. We said this as long ago as the time when Mr. HENRY WILSON, of Massachusetts, made his carpet-bag campaign into the State of Virginia, and when our correspondents there pointed out the effects of that pilgrimage, how it disorganized labor, excited false hopes in the mind of the negro, and uselessly irritated the white man. Mr. WILSON was not the first, nor the worst, of the carpet-baggers; but since his campaign Radical politicians have organized regular relays of these political missionaries, and encouraged the activity of a sort of political privateering. Regularly paid orators go from point to point, exciting the negroes to those extravagant claims for social equality that are so disgusting in all aspects. Other carpet baggers have gone on more fortune hunting expeditions. Rushing down from some Northern home, with no other capital but unblushing impudence—all their worldly wealth in a carpet bag—these fellows stop at a hotel in a Southern city, and on three hours' residence announce themselves as candidates for the convention, and are elected on negro votes. It is of such material in great part that the Conventions are made up. These are the men who wage war against the resident people, and from the struggle between these bodies comes all the noise. Opposition on the part of the Southern people themselves is not opposition to any feasible plan of reconstruction, nor to the will of the Southern people; but only to those self-constituted magnates, the "carpet baggers."

THE AVALANCHE has held up to public scorn a judicial officer for corrupt official conduct. What will the Radicals say when one of their own—S. B. BEAUMONT—Police Commissioner of this city makes the following statement:

No man can say that offenders of all classes are not promptly arrested, from the murderer down to the chicken thief; but of what avail is it for us to make arrests, when *not one in a hundred* meets the punishment he deserves? Let the courts work to *punish* and not to *shield* criminals.

The AVALANCHE will convince even Radicals that it wages no war upon any man, or set of men, unjustly, or without certain assurance of success. All our friends who speak of the personalities of the AVALANCHE, of its bitter war on thieves and corrupt officials, will approve its course and policy—will share in the joy of the victory without staining their shining boots or soiling their hands, and may, for aught we know, shout "We did it!"

THE letter from Helena, published yesterday, should not be overlooked by those for whose perusal it was especially written. The Helena Conservatives want a good tinner, a dozen white draymen, and a few white or colored barbers who have no affiliation with Radicalism. To men of this character they offer their support, and mean what they say.

Forrest is playing in Chicago, but he does not draw full houses.

The English House of Commons has again passed the bill for the abolition of church rates.

On Wednesday last there were no arrivals or departures of steamboats at New Orleans.

Butler opens the impeachment case on Monday, and is preparing.

Miss Olive Logan was arrested at Columbus, Ohio, last Wednesday for a non-payment of license fees. The affair was amicably adjusted.

The postoffice authorities of Montreal have intercepted a large number of copies of a New York weekly journal, on the charge of obscenity.

An Austrian paper asserts that the purpose of the visit of Napoleon to Germany was to hold a conference with the signers of the treaty of 1845, to urge them to unite in a remonstrance against the absorption of the kingdom of Poland by Russia, in violation of the terms of those treaties.

Latest from Washington.

Special Correspondence of the Louisville Courier.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 25.—Ben Wade is much exercised over the question now discussed here among his enemies in his own party about his right to the succession of the Presidency if Johnson is deposed. The Constitution provides in case of removal, death, resignation, etc., of the President and Vice President, what officer should act as President, etc.

The question now raised is, is the President *pro tem.* of the Senate such an officer as contemplated by the Constitution. It is contended by them, neither that person nor the Speaker of the House are officers, and, as such, are not eligible. The matter was debated at great length in the session of 1794, and Mr. Madison spoke and voted against the proposition that such an officer could succeed to the Presidency. The bill passed the House by a vote of twenty-six to twenty-five, Mr. Madison voting nay. If the view taken by Wade's opponents prevail, the mantle would fall on the Chief Justice. Wade will not feel secure until he is fully in possession of the coveted prize.

In the lull of the impeachment excitement the affair of the President and Judge Black is canvassed in all circles, and various rumors are afloat.

It should be stated when the President requested the Judge to aid him in the trial, the latter suggested that the rancor of his personal and political foes in the Senate would be aroused and it might damage his cause. Stanberry and Curtis, it is said, concurred with Judge Black in his opinion, but the President overruled all objections, and insisted on the retention of Judge Black.

Subsequently, however, this identical view was urged on the President by Seward and others, and it is now believed when Black pressed a decision on the Alta Villa case or the alternative of his retiring from the defense, the President determined to let him go

It is rumored that Seward's evidence is highly important to Johnson's defense, and it is believed it was deemed prudent and perhaps necessary, under the circumstances, to conciliate Seward, even at the sacrifice of a valuable friend and his just demand, and thus, to use the striking words of Judge Black himself, Mr. Seward's little finger seems stronger than the loins of the law.

Mr. Schenk's amendment to the bill taxing manufactures, etc., which passed yesterday and now goes back to the Senate, startles revenue officials here, as it will in the country. According to its provisions if whiskey is sold in any district at a lower price than the tax, it is to be accepted as prima facia evidence that collectors and assessors are conniving at fraud, and they are to be suspended until an investigation is made. The provision is wholly impracticable.

Mr. Schenck declared the purpose of the Ways and Means Committee to report a bill making the Revenue Department independent both of the President and Secretary of the Treasury, the Commissioner having the sole power of appointment and removal. This will raise the sinews of war for the Radicals in the Presidential campaign.

Gold closed in New York yesterday at 138¼; middling upland cotton 25¾c., with an active demand.

In the Ticknor divorce case, in Chicago, a decree has been entered giving the lady the custody of the children and $3,000 alimony.

The President's counsel have not yet furnished a list of the witnesses they desire to have summoned in the impeachment trial.

The remains of Mr. Coggeshall, late minister to Ecuador, are to be brought back home by the Government.

Grant is said to be ashamed of the exposures made by old Jesse. He had no objection to Jesse for his first production, but the last attempt upon his life is believed to be disagreeable.

Samuel Shotwell, recently from Memphis, attempted suicide at Cincinnati, on Thursday evening, by shooting himself. The ball entered the left breast. The wound will probably prove fatal.

The committee appointed to investigate charges of bribery against members of the Missouri Legislature, have failed to find evidence to substantiate the charges.

The vote for Governor of New Hampshire at the late election was as follows: Harriman, 39,778; Sinclair, 37,260. In 1867 Harriman received 35,809, and Sinclair 32,799 votes.

The City Council of New Orleans has instructed the Treasurer to pay no more city notes and to destroy all hereafter received. This will speedily remedy present evils.

About fifty Germans, of both sexes, from Bremes, passed through Washington, recently, for Virginia. It is said these are pioneers of over ten thousand such emigrants, to be brought to Baltimore during this year, and thence sent to new homes in the South.

Brevet Major General Buchanan, Colonel of the first United States infantry, Wednesday, relieved General Reynolds, in command of the Fifth Military District, pursuant to orders from Washington. General Reynolds, during his one day of command, made twenty-one Texas appointments.

In some of the localities in Tennessee, where the Conservatives were successful in the recent election, the Radical Registration Commissioners are resorting to the convenient dodge of throwing out a sufficient number of Conservative votes so as to give the offices to Radicals.

While the fire in St. Peter's Presbyterian Church in Rochester, New York, was in progress last Thursday, the clock struck four, and almost instantly, the supports having burned away, it fell crashing to the ground. The nine bells of the chime melted in the belfry.

They have got a ghost in the Winslow House, at St. Anthony, Minnesota, which is causing unusual excitement. He makes his appearance in the day time, and in the form of the late Dr. Jewel, who ran the Winslow House as a water cure establishment, and who died about eight weeks ago. He appears to Miss McBain, an intelligent young lady of fifteen, who has twice shot the ghost without hurting him much.

New England has produced another *savan* of the Elihu Burritt stripe, and his name is Willard Small. He bought his first book at the age of nineteen, with money saved "by hoeing corn at one cent per one hundred hills," and yet at twenty-five had mastered the "Mecanique Celeste," could read thirty-one languages, and converse fluently in seven or eight." His father, says the Chicago *Times*, was a dictionary, and his mother one of old Noah Webster's spelling books. He has a daughter who is expected to be a polyglot edition of the Talmud.

A large number of delegations to the Republican National Convention at Chicago have already secured accommodations at different hotels. The headquarters of the New York, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Arkansas and Wisconsin delegations will be at the Sherman House. The headquarters of the Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, New Jersey, Ohio, Michigan, Minnesota and the National Committee will be at the Tremont House. Southern Loyalists are supposed to quarter at some cheap colored boarding house.

Two men were arrested on the 24th near Bowling Green, Kentucky, on suspicion of being concerned in the recent bank robbery at Russellville. The arrest was made by detective Bligh, of Louisville, acting upon information given by a farmer living six miles from Bowling Green, who saw a party of men enter a sort of hollow in a piece of low land near his farm, and afterward found a roll of bills at the place he had seen them. From this he at once jumped at the conclusion that the persons he had seen were no others than the bank robbers, and that they had entered the unfrequented hollow to divide their spoils, and he immediately made known the result of his observations. The two men who were arrested were taken to Russellville for identification.

BY TELEGRAPH

MIDNIGHT DISPATCHES.

Arkansas Election Returns—Conservatives Everywhere Triumphant.

Judge Black's Reason's for Abandoning the Cause of the President.

LITTLE ROCK.

Special to the Avalanche.]

LITTLE ROCK, March 27.

Returns are coming in as rapidly as possible, and of the right stripe. Incomplete returns up to this evening, from four-fifths of the counties in the State, indicate the defeat of the Constitution by not less than 7,000 votes.

The *Gazette* of to-day contains a number of affidavits from voters showing that heavy frauds were practiced in Johnson county by the Registrar. It is believed that heavy frauds have also been practiced in large negro counties, whose votes have been swelled out of all reason. One small precinct in this county yet to vote will conclude the election on Monday next.

Randolph county is 389 majority against the Constitution. In Benton county less than a hundred out of 1,100 will go for the Constitution. The following majorities are reported against: Green county, 587; Lawrence, 454; Craigbead, 50; Franklin, 181; Crawford, 130. For the Constitution: Sebastian county, 14; Monroe, 110.

Austin precinct in White county cast 292 votes against and none for the Constitution. About thirty negroes were registered, but they preferred voting with their true friends. Pulaski county goes against the Constitution.

It will be impossible for the remainder of the vote to change the result. The Radical Constitution is a "dead cock in the pit" in Arkansas, and cannot be resurrected by its friends.

"TOOTH PICK."

WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, March 27.

General Meade's report of the recent election in Alabama for a Constitution in that State, has been received at army headquarters. The result is the same as that transmitted to Congress recently, showing the defeat of the Constitution.

The usual Cabinet session to-day lasted a little over an hour. All the members were present, including General Thomas. Nothing unusual occurred.

Mr. Black says that some parts of the various published statements as to why he declined to act are mere speculations. The reason why he refused to be retained was that it was impossible for him to defend the President, if the President sustained the Secretary of State in the Alta Villa case, and he was well satisfied that the President did sustain the position of the Secretary.

The conference report adopted to-day on the joint resolution directing certain monies now in the hands of the Treasurer, as Special Agent of the Treasury Department, to be converted by warrants into the United States Treasury, limits the sum allowed to the Secretary of the Treasury, for contesting suits, to $75,000.

The Senate Committee on Appropriations reported to-day the following amendments to the Naval Appropriation bill: A proviso requiring the unexpended balances, or money derived from the sale of public property, which may remain unexpended next July, to be converted into the Treasury, is stricken out, as is also the provision that civil engineers, Naval storekeepers and Master mechanics of the several Navy Yards, shall be appointed by the President, from civil life, and not from the Navy.

The appropriation for the pay of the Marine Corps is reduced from $877,000 to $170,000; that for provisions for the same corps, from $127,000 to $100,000; and for clothing, from $102,000 to $100,00 0

For the transportations of officers and recruits for the same from $20,000 to $12,000.

The amount appropriated for the payment of mechanics and laborers, and for the support of the department of steam engineers and naval academies, is reduced from $7,000 to $5,000.

The amount for barracks made in the navy yards reduced from $5,000 to 3,000.

Appropriations stricken out: Ship Libraries, $4,500. For the salaries of Deputy Clerks at the Naval Observatories, $4,000. For a Naval Labratory, $20,000. For repairs of the marine barracks at Washington, $50,000. The pay of Professors at the Naval Acadamy is increased from $73,000 to $76,000, and that for the expense of the Board of Visitors from $1,000 to $2,000. There is also an amendment to authorize the enlistment of 1,200 apprentices and boys in addition to the 8,000 seamen, landsmen and mechanics authorized by the bill to be employed in the navy.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, March 27.

Rev. J. H. Tyng, janior, has addressed a letter to Bishop Potter earnestly protesting against the result of the proceedings in his case, and appealing from the unjust presentments, oppressive rulings, predetermined decision and insinuating censure.

A Washington special says the Chairman of the House Postal Committee has authorized the report of a bill to establish a line of American steamers between New York and European ports. The bill authorizes the Government to lend aid in the way of subsidy and the construction of vessels.

OMAHA.

OMAHA, March 27.

The Union Pacific Railroad is completed to a point twenty-seven miles west of Cheyenne, and within four miles to the highest summit on the entire route. The number of men now employed on that section is 6,000.

ST. PAUL.

ST. PAUL, March 27.

The Mississippi is clear of ice from Mendota to Lake Pepin. The Minnesota is open as far as Monkats, and steamers will soon commence regular trips from here to Lake Pepin.

ALBANY.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 27.

The action taken by the Senate to-day virtually kills the bill amending the Metropolitan Excise law, which passed the Assembly.

LOUISVILLE.

LOUISVILLE, March 27.

The river is rising, with fourteen feet in the canal. Weather cloudy. Thermometer, 53°.

Steamers arrived—Belle Lee, John Kilgour and Louisiana. Departed—Silver Spray, for New Orleans.

EVANSVILLE.

EVANSVILLE, IND., March 27.

Departed—Darling, for Memphis; towboat W. V. Brown and barges for Pittsburg, and St. Patrick to Cannelton. The weather is cloudy; river stationary.

CANADA.

OTTAWA, C. W., March 27.

In the House, yesterday, the Government announced its intention to soon introduce a bill making American silver a legal tender, at rates to be determined in Council.

Among the papers laid before the House regarding the case of the Rev. Mr. McMahon and other Fenian prisoners, is a letter from the Duke of Buckingham to Lord Monck, in which he says that Her Majesty's Government will not be justified in mitigating the sentences.

FOREIGN.

LONDON, March 27.

A strike occurred among the operatives of the coal mines in Charlerol, Belgium, to day. The discontents assembled in a body, and become riotous, when the troops were compelled to fire upon them, in order to restore order. Many were killed and wounded. Quiet has been restored.

It appears that the man arrested at Stafford, yesterday, was not Deasy, though closely resembling him. The authorities are satisfied that he is in the United States.

MANCHESTER, March 27.

The Fenians, Thompson and Mullany, who were convicted of the murder of policeman Brett, have been sentenced to hard labor for life.

Fortieth Congress—First Session

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, March 27.

The bill supplementary to the National Currency act was taken up, and Mr. Cattell spoke in its support, and moved to amend the bill by inserting in the first section as follows: "Nor shall any bank located in said cities loan to bankers or other persons engaged in stock speculations any portion of their funds." He then suggested that as this bill required consideration, it be laid over, and on the motion of Mr. Merrill of Maine, it was done.

A discussion then ensued as to whether the Senate should take up the Union Pacific Railroad bill, as desired by Mr. Howard, or the Naval Appropriation bill, resulting in the latter being taken up, and a lengthy discussion followed on the amendment to strike out the provision making the Navy Yard employes subject to appointment by the President, with the consent of the Senate, Fessenden and Johnson advocating it, and Sumner, Wilson and others opposing it. The proviso was stricken out by a vote of twenty-three to eight.

The other amendments were agreed to.

Pending the final action on the bill reported by the conference committee, the bill in regard to conveying into the Treasury the proceeds of captured and abandoned property, and the bill to relieve certain manufactures from internal tax, were presented by the Clerk of the House, with the announcement of the concurrence of the House, and at the instance of Mr. Sherman the latter was immediately taken up, and he explained that the Senate's amendments had been substantially agreed to, and also explained the nature of the House amendment punishing whisky frauds by fine and imprisonment.

After some discussion, the reports went over until to-morrow.

Mr. Wilson offered a resolution, which was adopted, providing for sending the bill, which was passed over the President's veto last evening, to the Secretary of State for promulgation, and the same to be signed by the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House; and without further action on the Naval Appropriation bill, adjourned.

HOUSE.

The morning hour was occupied with business appertaining to the District of Columbia. Subsequently Boutwell, from the Reconstruction Committee, reported a resolution calling on the Secretary of War for copies of all reports made by General Meade to Grant, relating to the election in Alabama, which was adopted.

The Speaker laid before the House a message from the Senate, communicating the President's veto of the bill amending the judiciary act, and its action thereon.

The veto message was thereupon read, and the Speaker stated that the question was, "Will the House, on reconsideration, agree to pass this bill?"

After a short debate, Mr. Wilson moved the previous question, and under its operation the bill was passed over the veto. Yeas, 112; nays, 34. A strict party vote.

The Speaker then proclaimed that the bill had become a law, it having passed both Houses by the constitutional majority, notwithstanding the President's objection.

The Conference Committee's report on the bill to convert into the treasury the proceeds of the sales of captured and abandoned property was made by Mr. Washburne, of Wisconsin, and agreed to.

The conference report on the bill exempting certain manufactureres was presented by Mr. Schenck, to the effect that the House recedes from its disagreement to the Senate's amendment about contracts for machinery for the Government; and that in reference to drawbacks, none are to be allowed after the first of June next. In reference to the tax on sales, the tax is to be on the sales of all manufactures above $5,000, some being specially provided for.

The provisions to guard against whisky frauds are somewhat altered.

The report was agreed to.

Mr. Boutwell, from the Impeachment Managers, reported a resolution that after Monday next the House will postpone action upon all matters except questions relating to the impeachment of the President until the conclusion of the trial by the Senate.

The resolution provoked much discussion.

Mr. Davis represented that the Committee on Elections had four important cases to bring before the House, which would occupy some time.

After further discussion Mr. Boutwell withdrew his motion.

The House then adjourned.

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St. John's Methodist Episcopal Church. Services in the Law Court room, Greenlaw building. Preaching to morrow at eleven a.m. and half past seven p.m., by the pastor, Rev. F. A. Mason.

We had the pleasure of a visit, last night, from Mr. E. L. Johnson, of the DeWitt (Arkansas) *Elector*, who is here on business connected with that thorough-going Conservative journal.

BOLD ROBBERY ON THE STREET.—Yesterday morning a wallet containing $25 was wrested from a lady's grasp on Main street, by a fellow, who managed to escape with his prize. Information was given to the police, but at last accounts no arrests had been made.

A STREET EXCITEMENT.—Some one knocked down a man on Gayoso street between eleven and twelve o'clock last night. He was pursued by a policeman, who, failing to induce the fugitive to halt, fired several shots, which made a loud noise, and attracted a crowd, but hurt nobody.

A CASE OF MULICIDE.—Mr. J. W. Dickinson, cotton factor, purchased a mule the other day on which he "sot" much store. The fact that the animal cost $200 had something to do with the feeling. For safe keeping the mule was placed in Mr. Dickinson's cotton shed, and tied to a post, with the space allowed by eight feet of rope to "spread" himself in. Yesterday morning Mr. Dickinson was shocked to discover that his $200 pet lacked one important essential of usefulness—breath. His muleship, in "swinging around the circle," had choaked himself to death. It is the first case of mulicide on record, and we note it for the benefit of *materia mulica*.

CIRCUIT COURT IN SOMERVILLE.—The Circuit Court now being held in Somerville is rapidly disposing of business. During the past week, Jerry Swift (colored) has been sentenced to three years' imprisonment in the penitentiary, for hog stealing. Sam Hill, on trial for murder, was found guilty of murder in the second degree, and sentenced to fifteen years imprisonment. He killed Buck Sutherland at Lagrange last year. Simon Allen was sent up for six years, for hog stealing. Sam Davis (colored) has been sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary, for burning Colonel H. B. S. Williams' residence. Nelson Williams, also arrested, was acquitted. The trial of A. C Kirwan, for murder, was commenced on the 25th, and court will adjourn on the 3d proximo.

TRAGEDY IN GRENADA.

A Drunken Soldier Killed by a Guard.

On Thursday night a tragic affair occurred at Grenada Mississippi. A drunken soldier belonging to the garrison, attempted, while under arrest, to escape from the guard. The latter, whose name is Rosecrans, fired and killed him.

The affair created much excitement among the soldiers, who threatened Rosecrans with mob violence; but they were at last quieted and no further attempt was made.

BLEWIS.

Grand Jury in Session—What the People Demand at Once.

The Municipal Court Grand Jury reassembled yesterday, but whether the Barbour Lewis infamy was taken up we have not heard. The public are anxiously awaiting the result, and if Lewis' man Hudson again attempts to shield him—well, enough on that point for the present. Lewis has only a petty position in all others ever filled by him—disgraced it, and now that he has been detected in an offense for which he should be buried from his place, and forever prevented from holding office. The people so long outraged by this walking lazar of infamy and corruption demand that he be flung from his seat and sent forth into the world, followed by hisses and curses. The prosecuting attorney can avoid indicting him only through absolute perjury; and, once indicted, conviction will as speedily follow trial as thunder follows the lightning. We are into this contest against the chief of Shelby county scoundrels for "three years or the war," and shall spare no one who connives at his escape from the punishment due his gross misconduct. We are determined that the world shall know the character of the men who, borne on the waves of corruption, are sucking the life blood of the people; and the guilty may prepare to stand from under.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Spring races over the Memphis Association Course will commence on the 20th of April.

Rev. J. B. Ferguson, of Nashville, is again in the city.

Thirteen cases were tried in Police Court yesterday.

The keys of the new jail were delivered to Sheriff Curry Thursday afternoon, and the building is being filled.

Colonel Jesse Forrest's residence, Union street, was burglariously relieved of a quantity of provisions yesterday morning.

A couple of valuable cows were stolen from Mr. J. M. Provine, on the Hernando road, Thursday night. Cattle-lifters continue to flourish.

Twenty five prisoners, against whom the Grand Jury failed to find indictments, were discharged by Judge Waldran yesterday.

Pat Butler was fined twenty-five dollars in Police Court yesterday, for using moral suasion on his wife, with a club. He should have received the extent of the law.

Deputy Constable Fisher has been required to give five hundred dollars bail, to answer the charge of embezzling twenty-five dollars collected for John Doran.

It is now understood that Grandmother Hunter desires to join the Ku-Klux, and was sleuthing around the other night to find the headquarters of the Grand Cyclops.

We are indebted to Mr. F. S. Richards, General Superintendent of the Nashville and North western railroad, for official courtesies. Mr. Richards assumed the duties of his position a few days ago.

It having been rumored that Grandmother Hunter is Irish, a native of the Emerald Isle indignantly protests against the creature being satisfied on that race. Our friend needn't feel restive on the subject. The old gal belongs to no particular race or country, but is a sickly conglomeration of all the miserable odds and ends that were ever collected together and hatched into shape for public disgust.

We understand that the Gayoso will close on the last day of this month. Colonel Cockrell's lease expired on the 1st instant, but he retained the house another month, looking to re renting, but did not. Into whose hands this fine structure will fall we are not advised. It is understood that workmen will soon commence on the Brinkley block, which is to be changed into a hotel for Colonel Cockrell.

Mr. George W. Ward, of the firm of M. Bare & Co., Cincinnati, upon awakening in No. 85, Overton Hotel, yesterday morning, discovered that a wallet containing $465 had been taken from under his pillow. The door was ajar, and the thief had either entered by false keys, or managed to secrete himself in the room early in the evening. The former was doubtless the fact. Guests at the hotels should leave valuables in the office safe at night.

VAGRANTS.

The City Swarming with Them—A Workhouse Imperatively Demanded.

W. B. Greenlaw having urged the Metropolitan Police to arrest and confine all vagrants, and thus, by decreasing the number of criminals suffered to prey upon the public, render it unnecessary to maintain so large a police force. Colonel Beaumont replied through a cotemporary. We extract from it:

"You are aware that the city of Memphis has made no provision for the detention of persons arrested by the police force, and that all such persons are an expense of about fifty cents per day, while held in confinement, without giving any return in the way of labor.

"The Station houses, provided by the Police Commissioners, were only intended as places of temporary confinement, and are usually crowded with the very class of 'loafing idlers' of which you speak, who have been convicted for various offenses, and not a day passes without some of these being released before the expiration of their term of imprisonment to make room for new offenders.

"Let the city provide a workhouse, spacious enough to accommodate five hundred occupants, and I will agree to fill it in thirty days with able bodied operatives, capable, if properly managed, of producing a revenue of ten thousand dollars per annum to the city."

These statements, which every one conversant with our municipal affairs knows to be facts, again recall the necessity for some action by which the evil complained of can be remedied. The city is swarming with vagrants who can be detained only at the public expense. There should be a workhouse or "Bridewell," as in Chicago and other large cities, where petty offenders can be compelled to not only pay for their own keeping, but become a source of revenue. As the police superintendent says, the station houses are designed for temporary detentions. They soon fill to overflowing, and constant releases are necessitated.

A workhouse, with sufficient grounds attached, is imperatively demanded. Once provided, the hundreds who daily and nightly depredate upon the community will be forced to useful employment, under close restriction, or to abandon the city for more genial climes. In either event the most salutary results will follow.

We hope the Board of Aldermen will do something at once in this matter. Two hundred efficient policemen could not prevent half its burglaries constantly committed by this class. Whenever it is understood that vagrants and suspicious characters generally, are compelled to work, and will not be permitted to lounge about the streets, we will soon be rid of their presence.

THE CONTESTED ELECTION.

Arguments before the County Commissioners—Eaton Ousted from the Municipal Court.

The cases of contest between Garvin vs. McLean and Leonard vs. Wickersham, and Johnson vs, Greeley, and Hayden vs. Norton, were further heard by the County Commissioners on yesterday. E. M. Yerger, Esq., made an able, conclusive and unanswerable argument in behalf of the incumbents against the would-be usurpers, demonstrating conclusively that J. J. Sears, who acted under a commission to which the Governor's name had been forged, was a trespasser and usurper, having no color of appointment by the Governor, his acts are totally void. It was claimed that said Sears was an officer *de facto*, and therefore his acts are valid. This was successfully met by the incumbents, who now in this contest assail the whole, and every act performed by him as such Commissioner of Registration, and therefore it cannot be said that his acts have been accepted and ratified by law to give virtue and validity to his official conduct as such officer *de facto*. It matters little which way the Court may decide the matter, only so far as their reputation may be involved in a faithful and legal solution of the questions at issue, inasmuch as an appeal will be taken by the unsuccessful parties, and the Supreme Court will be called upon to revise the decision of the court below.

In the case of Taft vs. Eaton, different questions involving jurisdiction, were before the court. The Municipal Court being a special court of special jurisdiction, could take cognizance of no question not specially conferred by the statute on that court, and hence the court very properly accepted the bonds of Mr. Taft, and inducted him into office, but declined to hear and determine the rights of the parties in the matter of contest, because that right belongs to the Circuit Court. That however, might have been met by a bill on the part of Eaton to enjoin the court from taking Mr. Taft's bonds, etc., but this course was not taken. Mr. Eaton has instituted some proceedings it is said, to vindicate his rights. In the case before the commissioners we are promised their decision on Monday next. There is much speculation as to the issue.

DARING BURGLARY.

A Negro Robs a House in Broad Daylight.

One of the coolest, most daring burglaries of which we have heard, occurred between two and three o'clock yesterday afternoon. While Mrs. M. Scott, widow of the late Rev. Allen M. Scott, residing on the corner of Alabama street and the Raleigh road, was entertaining a visitor in her parlor, a negro climbed over the fence, entered the kitchen, and commenced helping himself to everything valuable in reach. After finishing operations in the kitchen he entered a room containing the greater portion of the clothing of the family and purloined a large quantity of wearing apparel. This done, he stole the lock of the kitchen door, evidently having use for it, and staggering under his load of plunder regained the opposite side of the fence and disappeared. His exit was noticed by a little negro girl playing near by, but Mrs. Scott did not learn of the robbery until entering the kitchen an hour afterwards. We have always imagined icebergs and snowballs to be cool things, but this affair lays them all in the shade.

MASONIC TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.—Mr. John B. Finley, of Searcy, Arkansas, a prominent Mason of that State, died recently. We have been requested to print the proceedings of Searcy Lodge, No. 49, F. A. M., relative to his decease, but can find room for only the resolutions, which are as follows:

Resolved, That in the death of our brother, John B. Finley, we feel that we have lost to our association and fellowship a good and worthy brother, whose virtues endeared him to the fraternity and to the community in which he lived.

Resolved, We render to the bereaved family of our deceased friend and brother our heartfelt condolence.

Resolved, We will wear the symbols of mourning in memory of our deceased brother for thirty days.

Resolved, That we will dedicate to his memory one page on our book of memory.

GARDEN AND FIELD SEEDS.—We direct attention to the advertisement of Messrs. R. D. Ward & Co., dealers in garden and field seeds, 232 Main street, opposite Clay building. There is no more reliable firm in the city, and the articles sold by them may be regarded as exactly what they are represented.

GOSHEN BUTTER! GOSHEN BUTTER!!—A choice lot of Goshen butter, received direct from New York by Lytle & Co, 14, Poplar street. 2t

Don't forget the imported soaps to be sold at two o'clock this evening at the Arcade.

Under Lead of special notice will be found the card of Dr. James. It should receive the attention of all.

SPRING MILLINERY.—Ladies wishing cheap hats and bonnets, of the very latest styles, should call on the Misses Quinlan, No. 240 Main street, corner of Jefferson. 2t

ATTENTION, THE PUBLIC!—Awake to duty! Come prepared! meet us at two o'clock precisely, at the Arcade! Don't fail! A choice variety of soaps (assorted), just imported; umbrellas, assorted; walking canes and gents' undershirts, suspenders, assorted glassware and shot, assorted sledge-hammers, one piano forte (ancient style), furniture, assorted; stoves, assorted; agate buttons, any amount. All to be sold, certain. Look sharp.

M. C. CAYCE, & Co.,
Auctioneers.

B. K. Plain & Co., lumber dealers, 304 Second street, have on hand a full supply of lumber, laths, shingles, doors, sash, blinds and glass, which they are selling low. 1w

Grand spring opening, on Monday, March 30th, at Mrs. M. C. Hunter's southern emporium of fashion, No. 247 Main street, between Court and Jefferson. The ladies will find a new and complete stock of bonnets and hats, silk and lace mantillas, parasols, gloves, ladies' and children's dresses, trimmings, corsets, and every variety of fancy goods. 2t

PLEASANT AFFAIR.

Elegant Supper by the Mechanics' Lien Law Association.

Feasting, Drinking, Speech-making, and a Good Time Generally.

A complimentary supper was given by the Mechanics' Lien Law Association, at Joseph Specht's, last evening, celebrating the passage of the Lien Law. About forty leading Representative Mechanics were present.

At half past nine, the assembled company sat down to one of the most elegant and sumptuous repasts that it has been our fortune to attend in Memphis, everything in the market and many productions of more tropical regions were spread out in perfect taste and ample abundance.

When the oysters, fish, meats, pastries and deserts were partially tested, Mr. Specht's able corps of assistants introduced a dozen or so baskets of Piper Heidsieck, when began the music of corks, the flow of champagne and burst of oratory.

The first regular toast was proposed by the Chairman, Mr. J. L. Ichberg:

"The President of the United States"—Responded to by Mr. W. Z. Mitchell.

He said the President (Mr. Johnson) was himself one of the mechanics of the country, having arisen from that body. It was always one of his boasts that he came from the lower walks of life. The speaker trusted that the President would be as successful in reconstructing the Government as he had been in rising from an humble condition, and closed with a few pertinent remarks.

The Chairman then proposed the next toast:

"The Representatives of Shelby County"—Responded to by the three members present, at great length.

The next toast was: "The Chairman of the Mechanic's Lien Association"—Responded to briefly and appropriately by Mr. Phil. Mallen and Mr. John Cubbins.

"The City Municipal Government of Memphis"—was responded to by Mr. Thomas Moffat in a telling speech about the length of the toast.

In response to a toast to the Legislature, Mr. T. A. Hamilton responded eloquently and sugarcoatedly, as follows:

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[We would take great pleasure in giving the rest of Mr. Hamilton's stirring speech, but our printers are short of capital I's.]

"The Press" was answered by Captain J. T. Pratt, of the *Ledger*. He paid a merited tribute to the mechanics of the city, and pledged the press to the earnest support of their interests.

The next speech was elicited by the sentiments "the Bar of Memphis," during the progress of which, it being twelve o'clock, our reporters retired.

The whole affair passed off most pleasantly, and reflected much credit upon its originators.

THE COURTS.

CHANCERY COURT—*Wm. M. Smith, Chancellor.* The following orders and decrees were entered on yesterday:

Bethel vs Nelson, report confirmed.
Waldron vs Waldron, report confirmed.
Bailey vs Lowenstein, final decree.
Welch vs Letcher, final decree.
Jones vs Pierce, final decree.
Littlejohn vs Trezevant, decree vesting title.
Gelmer vs Reading, decree for partition.
Borland vs Temple, do do.
Sudrow vs Sudrow, divorce decree.
David vs Wells, reference.
Beckert vs Butler, sale order.
Rice vs Chambers, report confirmed.
Boat vs Clarke, motion to justify.
Miller vs Rogers, appeal.
Ford vs Clayton, reference.
Lanier vs Gayoso, report confirmed.
Kaufman vs vs Gleaker, report confirmed.
Stark vs Cockrell, report confirmed.
Barnes vs Fox, sale order.
Overton vs Hollenshade, final.
Graham vs Jones, final.
Pointer vs Brinkley, injunction dissolved.

The causes set for hearing to-day are as follows:

928 Topp vs White
934 Merchants' National Bank vs McCarger
935 German N. National Bank vs same
936 Commercial Bank vs same.
1033 Provine vs McLemore
1004 Favrot vs Rockford
1005 Nevill vs Hall
1007 McLemore vs Currin
1017 Bradford vs Greenstine
1018 Wicks vs same
1019 Zeale vs same
1020 Read vs same
1022 Evans vs Adams
1023 McFerris vs White
1024 Wickersham vs Meriweather
1026 Cromwell vs Stoval.
1034 Ramsey vs Graham
1041 How vs Allen
1044 Watson vs Watson

MUNICIPAL COURT—*George W. Waldran, Judge.* —Yesterday on general jail delivery was had, and over twenty negroes were discharged from custody, the Grand Jury having failed to find bills of indictment against them during the present term of the court. These cases have been taxed against the prosecuting witnesses, they having failed to appear before the Grand Jury to give evidence. The cases set on writs of inquiry were disposed of. In the case of the State vs Woodward & Ma., indictment for gaming, Fuller submitted fifteen cases and was fined $5 in the first case and $2 50 in each of the others—Underwood not found. In the election case of Taft vs Eaton, on the question of right to appeal, Judge Waldran decided adversely to the right of appeal, and directed an order to be spread upon the minutes inducting Mr. Taft into the office of Clerk of the Municipal Court, to which ruling counsel of Colonel Eaton excepted, and leave was given him until Monday next to prepare a bill of exceptions. Court stands adjourned until Monday next, which will be motion day, Garnishees will also come into court and answer on said day.

UNITED STATES COURT.—*C. F. Trigg, Judge.* Several judgments were taken on yesterday. Mr. Alexander Jackson, foreman of the grand jury, was excused from further service during the term, and Mr. A. L. Rosson was sworn in as foreman.

The following petitions in bankruptcy were filed with the Clerk since the last report: David Marks, Shelby county; J. C. Birdsong, Madison county; George Kiester, Hardeman county; Jackson & Trout, Gibson county.

BANKRUPTCY COURT—*J. T. Latham, Register.*—In the cases of Joseph Croom, J. W. Bowles and W. J. Bolling, a meeting of creditors was held, and W. Y. Cirode appointed assignee.

The meeting of creditors in the case of W. H Vance has been adjourned over to April 18, 1868.

LAW COURT—*James O. Pierce, Judge, etc.*—To-day will be motion day, and the motion docket will be called as usual.

Remember the great auction sale of fine clothing, cloths, cassimeres, vestings and gents' furnishing goods at Reid & Bro.'s, 15½ Jefferson street, to-night at seven o'clock.

OUR DECISION ON SEWING MACHINES.—Being thoroughly conversant with all the leading sewing machines, we hesitate not in recommending the Wheeler & Wilson improved lock-stitch machine to all wishing a reliable family machine, as being far superior to all other machines, for durability, ease of operating, neatness of work, and the great variety of work they are capable of doing. Call and see them at the sale room of A. Sumner & Co., 256 Second street. tf

The "new thing under the sun" of which Solomon doubted, is PHALON'S "FLOR DE MAYO," that rare perfume for the handkerchief. It cannot be described, for there is nothing like it in the whole realm of fragrance. Sold by all druggists.

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RIVER NEWS.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE,
SATURDAY, March 28.

BOATS LEAVING TO-DAY.

Liberty No. 2	WHITE RIVER	5 p m
Minneola	CINCINNATI	5 p m
City of Cairo	ST. LOUIS	5 p m
Ruth	NEW ORLEANS	10 a.m

BUSINESS—WEATHER—RIVERS.

Weather cool and cloudy. The river here rose two inches in the past twenty-four hours, and is now within five feet of high-water mark. The river will come to a stand this morning. At St. Louis the river is rising slowly, with heavy rains in that section. The Ohio is rising at Pittsburg, with heavy rains in the mountains. At Cincinnati, on Thursday, the river was rising, and rose two feet four inches in twenty-four hours. The Ohio is falling from Louisville to Cairo. The Cumberland was falling on Thursday last but will be rising to-day. The Arkansas is rapidly declining, with five feet in the channel at Little Rock. White river is falling from Jacksonport to Duvall's Bluff, and is within its banks.

ARRIVALS.

Steamer Liberty No. 2, White river.
" City of Cairo, St. Louis.

DEPARTURES.

Steamer Belle St. Louis, St. Louis.
" Natoma, Friar's Point.
" May Flower, Evansville.

BOATS IN PORT.

Centralia, Liberty No. 2, City of Cairo and Minneola.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Business on the wharf yesterday was extremely dull, with freights scarce and few arrivals and departures.

The departures include the Mayflower, for Evansville, with 100 bales cotton; the Belle St. Louis for St. Louis, with ten bales cotton, and the Natoma, for Friar's Point, with a good passenger trip.

Fears are entertained of a flood, on account of the heavy rains in the Northwest.

The upper Mississippi is rising rapidly.

The Upper Ohio is again on the rampage, and rising rapidly, from the effects of the late rains.

The Liberty No. 2, Captain George W. Cable, came in from White river with 540 bales of cotton, a lot of Texas cattle, and some miscellaneous freight. The Liberty is the regular mail packet to-day for White river, through to all points to Jacksonport, connecting at Duvall's Bluff with the railroad for points on the Arkansas. Milt. Harry, a genial and clever gentleman, and popular clerk, has charge of the office, assisted by Mr. Charley Sharpe, an attentive and obliging clerk.

The City of Cairo arrived from St. Louis last night with a fair trip. She returns to St. Louis to-day at five p.m.

The Minneola, Captain Miller, leaves for Cincinnati to-day at five p.m.

The Victor No. 2, Captain Dean, leaves for Haile's Point and the bends at five p.m.

The J. D. Perry is high and dry on a sand bar in White river, and cannot be got off unless there should be a twelve foot rise in the river, which is not likely to occur this season.

The Arkansas river is rapidly declining, and it is feared some of the packets will be caught by the receding river above Little Rock.

The Ozark is due to-day from the above stream.

The famous steamer Ruth, Captain Switzer, with Mr. Eckly in the office, will leave for New Orleans this morning at ten a.m.

The only thing in the shape of a sensation on the levee yesterday was a little tilt between a striker on the Liberty No. 2 and an infuriated Texas bovine. The latter, in company with others—all too thin to make a journal worthy—were met by the striker while being driven ashore on the gang plank. Striker whaled away at the bovine, with a file, striking the animal on the horns. Bovine whisked its tail, caught striker on the offended horns, and a minute afterward somebody about striker's size was doing fine swimming below. The bovine having gained the victory then went on its way rejoicing.

Business in cases at New Orleans must be dull, as there were no arrivals or departures at that port on Wednesday.

The Henry Ames was advertised to leave New Orleans on Thursday for St. Louis.

The P. W. Strader will be down on Sunday.

The Centralia is the Monday Arkansas river mail packet.

Captain Joe McCulloch returned from Arkansas yesterday, and leaves to-day for Louisville. His presence in Arkansas during the election did a power of good. His speeches gained a victory for the Conservatives.

The Lady Gay and Great Republic are due from New Orleans on route to St. Louis.

The remainder of the crop of cotton on White and Arkansas rivers to come out is estimated at 12,000 bales.

At an impromptu meeting of the St. Louis M. B U. S. B. Clerk's co-operation association, held on the curb-stone in front of Hellery's saloon, A. L. Ryland, of the *Democrat*, was elected the "ornary" member of the association.

The Darling will arrive to-morrow evening from Cincinnati, and leave with a return trip Tuesday.

At Pittsburg on Wednesday, the river was rising with heavy rains from there down to Evansville.

The Ingomar struck a rock on Tuesday night in the upper Ohio, and sunk.

The Airdrie cooling depot is removed from Haile's Point, and permanently established at Fulton, Tennessee, where steamboatmen will find it to their interest to coal. This coal is A. No. 1.

The Rubicon is due from St. Louis, en route for Vicksburg. The Julia was to have left St. Louis to-day for the same port.

The latest news from other ports will be found in our telegraph column.

There have been received at Louisville, since the 16th instant, 2,500,000 bushels; amount shipped and awaiting shipment, 2,340,000 bushels.

The new snagboat built at Cincinnati, the J. J. Abot, descended the falls Tuesday evening.

The Nick Longworth and Belle Lee were to have left Louisville to-day for New Orleans.

The warehouses along the lower Ohio are reported full of tobacco awaiting shipment to New York.

The river at Louisville was falling yesterday, with nine and a half feet on the falls.

The following, from the Searcy (Arkansas) *Record*, narrates an occurrence worthy a Blewis himself. Wonder if this fellow Hinds is any relation to that notorious reprobate:

"Hinds, the Radical candidate for Congress from the Second District, was trying to "electioneer" with the chambermaid on the steamer pioneer, at Camden, at an unseasonable hour, (which was one a.m.) for which the captain of the steamer kicked him off the boat. And we see several of the Radical papers are becoming disgusted with Hinds' conduct, and have called on him through their journals to resign. Beautiful gang, these Radical office seekers. For the life of us we cannot see how a decent white man can associate himself with them."

MONETARY.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE,
SATURDAY, March 28, 1868.

We have nothing new to report in local finances. The money market is working close with little spirit exhibited in financial circles. The discount market continues firm with the rates of interest unchanged. Exchange is in light supply, buying at ¼@¼ off, and selling at ⅛c. premium.

GOLD—In New York opened at 138½ and closed at 138¾. The market here was firm with a fair demand. Dealers were offering 137½@138 and selling over the counter at 139@140.

SILVER—Steady, buying at 128@129c., and selling at 130@131c.

CITY SCRIP—The market yesterday was quiet but firm, with little offering. Dealers offered 65c. and were holding at 68@69c.

COUNTY WARRANTS—The market continues dull and nominal, with little doing in the market, buying at 50c. and selling at 54@55c.

POLICE SCRIP—The market was quiet and steady. Dealers were offering at 85@86c., and holding at 87@89c.

COMMERCIAL.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE,
SATURDAY, March 28, 1868.

Business in the general market yesterday was quiet and steady with a fair local trade doing. The Liberty No. 2, from White river, brought in a large list of orders which will be filled to day. The weather being cool and cloudy tended to check the country trade. There are no further fears apprehended of an overflow this spring, and in consequence the planters along the lower Mississippi are making preparations to plant very extensively in cereals and cotton this season. Meats are firm, with prices tending upward. The receipts are equal to the requirements. Mess pork is firm and in fair demand. The other markets are steady, with prices unchanged. We again urge upon our friends in West Tennessee, Mississippi and Arkansas, the propriety of preparing for mixed crops. The planting season is at hand, and the disastrous experience of the past two years should admonish them not to put their trust in cotton alone. The yield of cereals can be made equally profitable and is more certain. The soil and olimate are admirably adapted to their production, and those who last year entered upon their culture have been rewarded with something substantial to show for their labor. For the cotton grown, Memphis is a market superior to any other in the South, as the business of the past year has abundantly proved. Three-fifths of the time cotton has commanded as high prices here as at New York, and frequently ranged over New Orleans prices. The footings will show that Memphis has received and exported fully one-eighth of the last cotton crop.

As a market for wheat, corn, oats, and other cereals, none better can be found for the vast agricultural region whose natural *entrepot* is Memphis. Comparison with the prices at St. Louis, Cincinnati, Chicago and Louisville, shows that cereals command ten and twelve per cent. more here than there. By putting in crops and then avoiding sole reliance on any one article of production, as has been too long the custom, our planting friends will not again find themselves at their wits' ends to keep their heads above water. What they produce can be readily sold here at the highest cash prices; and dry goods, groceries, provisions, hard ware, and everything else, required by planters, can be purchased of our merchants as low as any where North, thus saving not a little in freights. We hope planters will not permit any temporary advances in cotton to decide them against planting cereals extensively. Their and the country's commercial salvation depends on it.

General Market.

NOTE.—Our quotations are the wholesale prices unless otherwise stated. In filling small orders to the city or country, trade an advance of three to five per cent. is obtained.

FLOUR—Steady, with a fair city demand, with the receipts equal to the requirements; superfine, $8 00@8 50; X, $9 00@9 50; XX, $10 00@10 50; XXX, $12 50@13 50; fancy brands, $14 00@$0 00.

MESS PORK—In fair demand with prices firmer, jobbing at $26 00 ₩ bbl. Prime mess firmer, $24 00@24 50.

BACON—Firmer; clear sides jobbing at 15½@16c; shoulders, 13@13½c; plain hams, 18@19c; sugar cured hams, 17@18c.

BULK MEATS—Firmer, with a fair demand; clear sides, 15@15½c; clear ribbed sides, 13½c; shoulders, 11@11½c.

LARD—Quiet and firm; keg leaf, 16@16½c; tierce, 16c.

CORN—Firmer. Choice shelled in gunnies, jobbing at $1 10 in car, 75@80c ₩ bushel.

HAY—Dull and heavy, with a large stock on hand. Prices were weak and unsettled, jobbing at $16 00@18 00 ₩ ton.

BRAN—Nominal; selling from store at $25 00@30 00 ₩ ton.

CORN-MEAL—Quiet and steady with full receipts; jobbing at $1 10@1 20 ₩ bbl. for fresh, and $1 20@1 40 for Elkin dried.

OATS—In fair supply with a small trade doing; selling at 75@80c. ₩ bushel.

POTATOES—Firm and steady with the receipts equal to the requirements; peach blows, jobbing at $4 50 ₩ bbl; pink eyes, $2 25@3 00; Nashaniks, $2 50@3 00; London Lady's, $6 00@6 50 ₩ bbl.

POULTRY—Chickens are scarce and in active demand, with small receipts, selling $7 00@8 00; ₩ dozen; turkeys, $20 00@$24 00 ₩ dozen.

EGGS—Firm and active; jobbing at 18@20c. ₩ dozen.

BUTTER—The market is bare of choice with light receipts; inferior jobbing at 25@30c.

CHEESE—Western reserve cheese, 13½@14c; English dairy, 17@18c; factory, 15@16c.

BAGGING—India bagging, 22@24c; machine 23@25c; hand nominal.

COFFEE—Rio coffee, 22@25c; Java, 32@40c.

FISH—Mackerel, No. 1 kits, $2 75@3 00; No. 2, $2 50@2 75; No. 3, $2 25@2 50.

MOLASSES—Louisiana molasses, 80@90 ₩ gal., in barrels.

SALT—Kanawha salt, $3 50@3 75 ₩ bbl; sack, $3 00@3 25.

TAR—Per dozen kegs, $7 00@8 50.

SUGAR—Crushed and powdered, 18@19c.

TOBACCO—Fancy work natural leaf, $1 00@1 25; bright pounds fancy, $1 00@1 25; medium, 80c@$1 00; common, 60@75c; smoking, fine and fancy, $1 00@1 25; common, 35@75c.

WHISKY—Firm at $1 30@1 35 for common.

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7	20 00	24 00	28 00	32 00	18	64 00	68 00	72 00	76 00
8	24 00	28 00	32 00	36 00	19	68 00	72 00	76 00	80 00
9	28 00	32 00	36 00	40 00	20	72 00	76 00	80 00	84 00
10	32 00	36 00	40 00	44 00	21	76 00	80 00	84 00	88 00
11	36 00	40 00	44 00	48 00	22	80 00	84 00	88 00	92 00

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Remaining in the Postoffice at Memphis, Tennessee, Saturday, March 28, 1868.

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Birdsong miss A — Barnes miss J — Bell miss L
Bell miss L — Bean miss S — Bell miss M E
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Bennet miss P — Baskwell miss F A

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Carter miss W — Cage miss L

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Gleason miss M — Gallagher miss M E

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Hardin miss J P — Howard miss M E — Hawkins miss L
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Johnson B — Johns Miss E — Jobe miss P G
Joyce miss W A — Jordan L — Jameson miss M A
Johnson miss J — Jefferson miss J — Jefferson miss L
Jackson miss B — Jefferson miss A

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Kilgare miss J

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Metcalf miss J H — Munroe mrs H — Myrick J J
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McClaine miss A — McAuliffe miss M — McEntire miss B

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Powell miss A G — Peebles miss M — Pennyer miss M
Parks miss S B — Pagett miss M — Parker miss L M

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Rodgers miss A — Roberts miss A — Rickets miss H
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Raymond miss M — Rankin mrs L

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Temple miss N C — Thomas miss M — Thomas miss L
Thorne miss L R — Taylor miss S A — Tarver mrs W O

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Underwood miss M E

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Woo—s miss K — Woodward mrs A — Wilson miss E
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Bassett C — Beebe C — Beene Capt D K
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Brown R P — Buster R E — Browning R C
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Attachment Suit.

Municipal Court of the City of Memphis—Clerk's Office March 9, 1868—No 1485, A. D.—C. T. Ames and Mary Ames, Plaintiffs, vs. Haight & Chambers, Defendants.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and said attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, "levied," etc., on the property of the defendants Haight & Chambers; it is therefore ordered, that said defendants appear at the Municipal Court Room in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the first Tuesday in April next, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed as to him, and the case set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON, Clerk.
S. D. THOMPSON, D. C.
HAYNES, STOCKTON & HART, Attorneys for Plaintiffs. mn14

No. 2622—N. B. D.—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—Robert W. Scruggs, Administrator of Maria Scruggs, deceased, vs. Henry P. Bridges et al.

IT appearing from affidavit in this cause that the defendants Henry P. Bridges and wife Letitia M. (formerly Letitia M. Scruggs); William A. Scruggs Penelope Scruggs, John T. Scruggs, (the last three being children of Robt. L. Scruggs, deceased, who was a son of the said Maria Scruggs, deceased), and Edward Bridges and wife Mary K., (formerly Mary K. Ford), all residents of Mississippi; and F. M. Woodson and wife Maria L., (formerly Maria L. Ford,) the said Mary E. and Maria L. being children of Amanda M. Ford, dec'd, who was the daughter of said Maria Scruggs, deceased; and Lewis Brown and wife Mary E. (formerly Mary E. Ford), John Keys, Sidney Keys, Bettie Keys and James Keys, (the last four minors), children of Mary K. Keys, deceased, who was a daughter of said Maria Scruggs, deceased; and Frank Bayley and wife Laura Bayley (formerly Laura Ford,) ——— Thompson and wife Fannie Thompson, (formerly Fannie Ford,) ——— Slater and wife Maria Slater, (formerly Maria Ford,) Charles Ford, James F. Ford, (last a minor,) children of Linton B. Ford, who was a daughter of said Maria Scruggs, deceased, all (less residents of Arkansas; and all of said Defendants non-residents of the State of Tennessee; it is therefore ordered, that they make their appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday in April, 1868, and plead, answer or demur to complainant's bill, or the same will be taken for confessed as to them and set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON, Clerk and Master.
BY R. J. BLACK, Deputy C. & M.
FINLAY & KELLAR, Solicitors for Complainant. mh4

Trustee's Sale.

BY virtue of a deed executed to me on the 28th day of January, 1867, by R. S. Plummer, and recorded in the Register's office of Shelby county, Tennessee, in book 79, part 2, pages 228, 229, 230, conveying the interest of said Plumer in a certain leasehold for the purpose of securing a debt due to the Franklin Insurance Company, I shall,

On Friday, April 10, 1868,

Between the hours of eleven and twelve o'clock, proceed to sell upon the premises all the interest and title of the said P. to and in a certain lot in the city of Memphis, on the north side of Washington street, which said lot is described as follows in a certain deed from Emeline Lorens to R. S. Plummer, of record in the Register's office, in book 49, pages 62, 63, viz: Beginning at a stake on the north side of Washington street thirty-one (31) feet and six (6) inches west of John Park's 61 feet lot, running thence one hundred and fifty (150) feet north or less, to the alley between Washington street and poplar; thence eastwardly with the south side of said alley thirty-one (31) feet and six inches to John Park's line; thence southwardly with John Park's line one hundred and fifty (150) feet, more or less, to Washington street; thence westwardly thirty-one feet and six inches to the beginning. The lease of the said Plummer was for a term of fifty years from the 8th of June, 1858, and has upwards of thirty-four years still to run. The property is rentable as an investment having uniformly yielded a remunerative rental.

LAW. S. MARYE, Trustee.
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County Court Sale of Land.

Charles S. Slater vs. Robert Slater et al., minor heirs at law of Sarah Slater, deceased, and T. P. Slater, their guardian.

BY virtue of a decree made by the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, in the above entitled cause at the February term, 1868, thereof, I will proceed to sell before the Court House door, in the city of Memphis, to the highest and best bidder, on

Saturday, March 28, 1868,

Between the hours of ten o'clock a.m. and four p.m., the following described tract of land, lying in Shelby county, Tennessee, in the First Civil District, and bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stake 17 links west of a hickory marked as a corner Benjamin Herald's northwest corner of his 10 acre tract; thence west 24 chains 15 links to a stake at the end of a lane on the south side of the Raleigh road, twenty-two links west of a red oak pointer; thence south with said lane 13 chains 36 links to a stake and red oak bean pointer; thence east 17 chains 15 links to a stake in said Herald's west line of his 10 acre line; thence north with said line to the beginning; containing fifty acres, more or less.

TERMS OF SALE—One half (½) cash; on the balance a credit until the 1st day of January, 1869—the deferred payment to be secured by note with two good personal security and shall be a lien on the land until the whole amount is paid.

JOHN LOAGUE, Clerk.
By BERNARD COLL, D. C.
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To the Distributees of W'yatt Moye, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given to the distributees and parties interested in the estate of Wyatt Moye, deceased, their agents, attorneys and proper representatives, that I have filed my petition in the county Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, to render my administration of said estate; and, in pursuance of the order of said Court, I now give notice that the second Monday in April next, at the Court House in Memphis, I shall present said petition and ask to have my accounts passed and my resignation accepted. The distributees may be present on that day, or any thereafter as the Court will reach and take up the matter, and take such action as they may see proper.

ROBERT S. AIRAM,
mh17 Administrator of Wyatt Moye, deceased.

No. 2278—N. B. D.—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—Babylon and Creditor Noles, John Haslam, Administrator, de bonis non, of the estate of James H. Markham, deceased, vs. John Fisher et al.

IN this cause the insolvency of the estate of James H. Markham, deceased, has been suggested, the creditors thereof made parties, and ask to have my account passed and my place of residence are unknown, and an order entered directing publication to issue; it is therefore ordered, that they make their appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday in June, 1868, and file and establish their claims against said estate, or they will be forever barred and the cause set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for three months in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON,
mh13 Clerk and Master.

No. 2601—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—A. Montgomery vs. Samuel P. Walker et al.

IT appearing from affidavit in this cause that the defendants Lucy W. Polk is a resident of the State of North Carolina, and Leonidas Polk of the State of Tennessee, and Lucy K. Polk, Wm. H. Polk and Tasca Polk are defendants whose place of residence is unknown; that they make their appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday in April, 1868, and plead, answer or demur to complainant's bill, or the same will be taken for confessed as to them and set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON
BY R. J. BLACK, Deputy C. & M. Clerk and Master.
McNAIR & WALKER, solicitors for complainant. mh8

Attachment Notice.

J. W. Ledbetter vs. J. H. Friedsell. Before J. S. Black, J. P.

ATTACHMENT has been sued out against him upon the grounds that he is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, and returned by the proper officer, "levied," etc., and the cause set for hearing on the 18th day of April, 1868, at his office in the city of Memphis, when and where he can appear and defend said action, or the case will be proceeded with exparte, as to him, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Daily Avalanche. Memphis, March 9, 1868.

J. G. BLACK, J. P.
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Attachment Suit.

Law Court of Memphis—Clerk's Office, March 14, 1868—No 1158, A. D.—Galbreath, Stewart & Co., Plaintiffs, vs. W. H. Dodge, Defendant. Debt.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, "levied," etc., on the property of the defendant W. H. Dodge; it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the second Monday in June next, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed as to him, and the case set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. JOHN DONOVAN, Clerk.
JOHN W. GRAHAM, D. C.
WRIGHT, MCKISSICK & WRIGHT, Attorneys for Plaintiffs. mh18

Attachment Suit.

Harrison Jones vs. Jefferson Haskin.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this cause in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, "levied, etc.," on the property of the defendant; it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at my office, in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the fourth day of April, 1868, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed and the case set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. JOHN DONOVAN, Clerk.
By R. J. BLACK, Deputy C. & M.
FINLAY & KELLAR, Solicitors for Complainant. mh11

Attachment Notice.

J. W. Ledbetter vs. J. H. Friedsell. Before J. S. Black, J. P.

ATTACHMENT has been sued out against him upon the grounds that he is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, and returned by the proper officer, "levied," etc., and the cause set for hearing on the 18th day of April, 1868, at his office in the city of Memphis, when and where he can appear and defend said action, or the case will be proceeded with exparte, as to him, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON, Clerk and Master.
By R. J. BLACK, Deputy C. & M.
HALLUM, CHALMERS & TURLEY, Solicitors for Complainant. mh13

LEGAL.

Trustee's Sale.

BY virtue of the power in me vested in a deed of trust executed on the 18th day of May, 1867, by Andrew J. Dowd, of Coahoma county, Miss., to me, as trustee, to secure to Messrs. Galbreath, Stewart & Co., of Memphis, Tn. nessee, the payment of certain debts and liabilities of the said Dowd there in mentioned, I will proceed to sell to the highest bidder, for cash,

On Monday, the 13th day of April 1868,

On the premises, the following real and personal property to-wit: The said Dowd's plantation in Coahoma county, Miss., situated on Moon Lake, whereon the said Dowd now resides, and containing eighteen (1800) hundred acres, more or less, the same being all the lands owned by the said Dowd in the said county. With all tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances. I will at the same time, and on the same terms, offer for sale about forty (40) mules, together with a lot of cows, calves and dry cattle, about fifty (50) head; also, all the farming utensils, wagons, gear, etc., all the property of the said Dowd; also, a large lot of corn on the place. The title to the said real and personal property is believed to be good, but I simply sell and convey as trustee aforesaid.

T. N JOHNSTON, Trustee.
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Insolvent Notice.

In the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee—In re est. D. Weeks, deceased.

HAVING appointed the insolvency of the estate of D. Weeks, deceased, to the Clerk of said Court, and received an order to this effect, I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate to appear before the County